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SUBJECT: GOR MEDIA CONTINUE TO URGE RAPID CONVOCATION OF CSCE

REF: BUCHAREST 1755, STATE 078557

1. BEGIN SUMMARY: ROMANIAN MEDIA CONTINUE TO URGE CONVENING OF CSCE " AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE, WITHOUT ANY DELAY", EVEN THOUGH "... THERE MAY STILL BE SOME PROBLEMS OUTSTANDING..." THESE CAN BE SOLVED " WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE DIFFERENT STAGES OF THE CONFERENCE." END SUMMARY.

2. SCINTEIA MAY 13 AND 14 CARRIED EDITORIALS TOTALING 52 COLUMN- INCHES CONTINUING THRUST OF MESSAGE REPORTED IN BUCH REFTEL. MAY 13 PIECE CALLS THE ESTABLISHMENT OF EUROPEAN SECURITY " THE FUNDAMENTAL OBJECTIVE OF ALL THE PEOPLE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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OF THE CONTINENT", AND SAYS "... THE WAY WAS SHOWN (IN
MPT-4) TOWARD THE POSITIVE DEVELOPMENT OF CHANGES OF
IDEAS AND PERSONS, ARRIVING AT A COVERGENCE
F POSITIONS
AND SOME ORGANIZATIONAL ASPECTS."

3. SAME PIECE QUOTES CEAUSESCU AS SAYING " WE BELIEVE
THAT CONDITIONS HAVE BEEN CREATED SO THAT THE WORK OF
A CONFERENCE CAN BEGIN THIS SUMMER AND WE WISH TO ADD
OUR ACTIVE CONTRIBUTION TO THE PREPARATION AND HOLDING
OF THIS CONFERENCE UNDER THE BEST CONDITIONS,
FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT IN EUROPE OF RELATIONS
BASED ON NEW PRINCIPLES, WHICH WILL ASSURE A PROLONGED
PEACE AND FRUITFUL COOPERATION BETWEEN ALL CONTINENTAL
NATIONS, WILL HAVE AN EXTREMELY POSITIVE EFFECT ON THE
CAUSE OF COOPERATION AND PEACE IN THE ENTIRE WORLD."

4. MAY 14 PIECE ECHOES KNOWN ROMANIAN LINE THAT A REAL
SECURITY CANNOT BE REACHED THROUGH ANY " EQUILIBRIUM OF
FORCES", BECAUSE THIS IS " RECIPROCAL INTIMIDATION", BUT
MUST BE ACHIEVED THROUGH " THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW
RELATIONSHIPS, ESSENTIALLY DEMOCRATIC, BETWEEN ALL CONTI-
NENTAL STATES." EDITORIAL GOES ON TO REITERATE
ROMANIA' S CALL FOR THE SOVEREIGNTY OF EVERY NATION, THE
RENUNCIATION OF ANY ACT OF FORCE OR THREAT OF FORCE, OF
ANY INTERVENTION OF PRESSURE, THE ELIMINATION OF SOURCES OF
CONFLICT OR DISAGREEMENT, AND THE EXCLUSION OF ANY DANGER
OF THE OUTBREAK OF WAR.

5. THE PIECE NOTES THAT THE SIMPLE RECOGNITION OF THE
PRINCIPLE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW IS NOT SUFFICIENT TO GUARANGEE
PEACE, AND SAYS THAT WHAT IS NEEDED IS " A SOLEMN COMMITMENT
OF RESPECT TOWARD EVERY STATE BY EVERY OTHER
STATE TO THESE PRINCIPLES AS A WHILE, WITH THE STIPULATION
THAT NOTHING CAN EVER JUSTIFY THEIR VIOLATION."

6. MAY 12, 13 AND 14 PIECES ALL USE HEADLINES SUPERIMPOSED
OVER GRAY BACKGROUND WHICH DESIGNED TO CALL READERS' ATTENTION
TO ARTICLES. THIS PLUS USE OF EDITORIALS ON SAME TOPIC
THREE STRATIGHT DAYS INDICATES IMPORTANCE GIVEN TO CAMPAIGN
BY GOR TO CONVENE CSCE BY LATE JUNE.

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